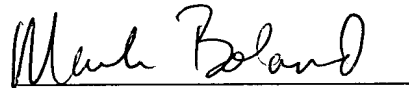


REMARKS

Composition claim 4 and method claim 7 have been amended to delete reference to claim 1, and the hydroxamic acid of formula (I) is defined independently. Claims 1-3 and 5-6 have been canceled without prejudice or disclaimer. Claim 9 is newly added --see, e.g., original claim 3 for support.

Entry and consideration of this Amendment are respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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